

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Rules – The Andhra Pradesh Police (Armed Reserve) Service Rules - Amendment – Orders – Issued.

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**HOME (SER-I) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O. Ms. No. 88**

**Dated:1-4-2013**

**Read the following:-**

- 1.G.O. Ms. No.118, Home (Police-E) Department, dated 16.6.1997
- 2.From the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad  
Lr. Rc. No.180/PL-1/2011, dated 13.9.2011
- 3.Govt. Memo. No.21102/Ser.I/A1/2011-2, dated 21.9.2011
- 4.From the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad  
Lr. Rc. No.180/PL-1/2011, dated 3.10.2011
- 5.Govt. Memo. No.21102/Ser.I/A1/2011-3,d t 18.11.2011
- 6.From the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad  
Lr. Rc.No.180/PL-1/2011, dated 17.12.2011
- 7.From the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad,  
Lr. No.463/RR/2013, dated 15.3.2013

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**ORDER:**

In the letter 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, has stated that the post of Superintendent of Police (NC) and Additional Superintendent of Police are available in Civil Police and by and large comparable with the posts of Commandant and Additional Commandant in APSP. The Superintendent of Police (NC) and Commandants carry out higher duties and responsibilities to that of Additional Superintendent of Police and Additional Commandant.

**2.** He has further stated that the total strength of APSP is approximately 17,100 for which they have got 18 posts of Additional Commandants, 17 posts of Commandants and 2 posts of DIG (NC) besides number of deputation posts in these categories whereas in the case of Armed Reserve category, the total strength is approximately 29,580 for which they have got only 5 Commandants and 9 deputation posts, the pay scale of which is equivalent to Additional Superintendent of Police (Civil). Due to this, there is a lot of disparity in the promotional avenues in the case of Armed Reserve vis-a-vis APSP, which needs to be corrected;

**3.** The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, has further stated that in G.O. Ms.No.257, Fin. (SMPC) Department, dated 18.10.2007 read with G.O. Ms.No.281, Home (Ser.III) Department, dated 20.11.2007, 366 posts have been apportioned to APSP whereas for Armed Reserve the number apportioned is 7,919. Accordingly, to rationalize the promotion opportunity in Armed Reserve, 13 posts of Additional Superintendent of Police out of 93 posts of Additional Superintendent of Police were given to Armed Reserve. The duties of Additional Superintendent of Police given to Armed Reserve is being formulated separately so that the Districts they will be able to properly supervise and improve the functioning of Armed Reserve and can assist the Superintendent of Police in maintaining discipline and general functioning in Armed Reserve as 105 Platoons have been given additionally to the Districts/Commissionerates from new sanctions of G.O. 281. However, when the proposal was sent to Government for their acceptance of thirteen (13) posts of Additional Superintendent of Police (AR), the Government pointed out that there is no post of Additional Superintendent of Police in Armed Reserve Service Rules and has requested to come up with adequate changes in Service Rules of Armed Reserve by way of amendment to G.O. Ms. No.118, Home Department, dated 16.6.1997.

**4.** Since the Government has pointed out that there is no cadre of Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) and also to improve the promotional avenues in Armed Reserve the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad has proposed certain amendments to the Service Rules of Armed Reserve issued vide G.O. Ms. No.118, Home (Pol. E) Department, dated 16.6.1997, inserting the post of Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) duly treating the post of Commandant (Home Guards) as equivalent to that of Superintendent of Police (NC) in Civil and Commandant, A.P. Special Police Battalions.

**5.** The Government, after careful examination of the issue, have accepted the proposal and decided to amend the Andhra Pradesh Police (Armed Reserve) Service Rules, duly treating the post of Commandant (HGs) as equivalent to that of Superintendent of Police (NC) in Civil and Commandant, APSP Bns., and all the individuals now working as Commandant are to be treated as Additional Superintendents of Police (AR), as they were promoted from the post of Deputy Superintendent of Police (AR).

**6.** Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an Extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dated 15-04-2013.

### **NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereunto enabling the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Police (Armed Reserve) Service Rules, issued in G.O. Ms. No.118, Home (Pol. E) Department, dated 16.6.1997, and as subsequently amended.

### **AMENDMENTS**

In the said rules;

1. in rule 2; (i) for category (1) the following shall be substituted, namely;

Category (1) – Commandant (Home Guards)  
 Category (2) –Additional Superintendent of Police (AR)  
                             in the District  
 (ii) the existing categories (2) and (3) shall be re-numbered as categories (3) and (4)

2. for Table under rule 3, the following shall be substituted, namely;

Sl. No.	Category	Method of appointment
1.	Commandant, Home Guards	By promotion of Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) of District/Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates
2.	Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) of District/Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police CAR in Police Commissionerates	By promotion of Deputy Superintendent of Police (AR)/ Assistant Commissioner of Police CAR in Police Commissionerates
3.	Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve)/ Assistant Commissioner of police CAR of Police Commissionerates	By promotion of Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)
4.	Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)	By promotion of Reserve Sub Inspector (Armed Reserve)

3) for the Table under rule 4, the following shall be substituted, namely;

"Sl. No.	Promotion to the category of	Feeder category ie., promotion from the category of	Minimum service
1.	Commandant, Home Guards	By promotion of Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) of District/Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates	<b>3 years</b>

2.	Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) of District /Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates	By promotion of Deputy Superintendent of Police (AR)/Assistant Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates	<b>5 years</b>
3.	Deputy Superintendent of Police (AR)/Assistant Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates	By promotion of Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)	<b>6 years</b>
4.	Reserve Inspector (AR)	By promotion of Reserve Sub Inspector (Armed Reserve)	<b>6 years"</b>

4) for sub-rule (2) of rule 7; the following shall be substituted, namely;

"(2) The transfers and posting in the case of Commandant (Home Guards) and Additional Superintendent of Police (AR) of Districts/ Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates shall be made by the Government and in the case of Deputy Superintendent of Police (AR)/Assistant Commissioner of Police CAR of Police Commissionerates and Reserve Inspector (AR), the transfers and postings shall be made by the Director General of Police. The Reserve Inspector (AR) shall be transferable within each of the units specified in rules subject to sub-rule (1) of this rule".

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**T.P.DAS  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad

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